

# CONTROL OF A SYSTEM FOR PROCESSING A STREAM OF INFORMATION BASED ON INFORMATION CONTENT

## ABSTRACT

A segment announcing system is disclosed that contains one or more segment  
5 announcement receivers that receive one or more announcements over a network connection  
and/or other communication connection. The announcements contain content information  
about the content of broadcast information being broadcast, e.g., to a television. The segment  
announcement receivers have one or more control outputs to perform a function, typically to  
control the segment announcement receivers during processing of information called a content  
stream.